

The Department received additional questions from potential offerors regarding the REM Case Management Solicitation. The questions and answers are listed below.

We understand that providing direct services to REM participants would be a conflict of interest for a REM case management provider. However, does the State consider provision of direct services to CFC participants to be a conflict of interest as well?

**Answer:** Yes, it is considered a conflict of interest for a REM case management provider to provide direct services to CFC participants.

If the potential offeror is an MBE, is there a requirement for the offeror to sub-contractor 10 % of the contract to another MBE?

**Answer:** If the prime vendor is a certified MBE, they may only count their work towards 50% of the 10% goal. This means that the remaining 5% of the goal must be subcontracted to another MBE.